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Via ECFS Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary Federal Communications Commission 445 12th Street, S.W. Washington, D.C. 20554

Re: In the Matter of Petition of USTelecom for Forbearance Pursuant to 47 U.S.C. Section 160(c); WC Docket No. 18-141; Category 1

Dear FCC,

Consumers NEED access to competitive offers through different internet/communications providers. Broadband is a critical part of daily life now, and limiting providers would be disastrous. Sonic broadband has given my family the absolute best option for service and being free from the stranglehold of AT&T and Comcast has been the best thing to happen to communications in the digital age.

Please do not take away local broadband providers. Being forced to choose between AT&T and Comcast is no real choice. One may be worse than the other, but both are horrible options when there are great companies like Sonic available, and they NEED to REMAIN available.

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